

EVERY ASSURANCE OF NATIONAL PEACE

Dickinson and MacVeagh Express Their Opinions of New Administration.

CHICAGO, ILL., March 6.—Visions of a greater navy and support for the movement for a larger army dawned on the minds of those who to-day gathered about Jacob M. Dickinson, new Secretary of War, to bid him farewell. Judge Dickinson, who is familiarly known, made clear his view that a strong navy is essential to the protection of extended American coasts and a potent argument for peace. The new Secretary of War will leave Chicago to enter upon his duties next Thursday, possibly earlier. His fellow Chicago member of the Cabinet, Frank MacVeagh, Secretary of the Treasury, left for Washington early this evening.

Mr. Dickinson was captured for this evening by the new Vice force of the Illinois Central Railroad, six strong, who gave a banquet in his honor at the Auditorium Annex. Incidental to his discussion of the national defenses, responsive to a rapid fire of queries from newspaper reporters, Mr. Dickinson took occasion to praise President Taft, as an agency for international peace.

"There is no suggestion of international unpleasantness on the horizon apparent to me," he said, responsive to a question on the subject. "Certainly, with President Taft at the head of affairs, our people have every assurance that his administration will do every proper thing to maintain friendly international relations and assure the peace of the world."

Strong Army and Navy.

"What are your views as to the army? Have you a leaning toward a larger standing army, or do you think the present force sufficient?"

"I have never considered that question and have no information on the subject that would justify me in expressing an opinion, except the general one that I have that evidence of ability of a people to maintain themselves in case of war is one of the strongest factors for maintaining peace."

"This, then, would indicate that you are a believer in a powerful navy?"

"I have always believed that a strong navy is necessary for the protection of our extended coast, and that such a navy would be one of the best assurances for maintaining friendly international relations."

Treasury Deficit.

Recognizing the immensity of the task before him in attempting to reduce the deficit the government is facing hourly, and at the same time that increased expenses of government are growing daily, Mr. MacVeagh outlined his ideas of his new position in these words:

"Theodore Roosevelt enlarged the functions of government. He increased at once its usefulness and its responsibility. Witness, for example, the creation of the Bureau of Commerce and Labor. Recall, for instance, the pure food law. Both of these innovations are governmental. Their necessity, their high utility, and their long dispute, yet necessarily they have increased the expenditures of the government."

"Something, of course, must be done to meet the deficit in the Treasury. I suppose many people will object to stamp increases, just as there have been prejudice against bonds. But the government must have money, and a plan must be devised for getting it."

Settle Tariff Question.

"This, I should say, is a general administrative question; it is a question with the Secretary of the Treasury. By that I mean it will concern the President and all members of the Cabinet as much as it will the Secretary of the Treasury."

"The settlement of the tariff schedule will facilitate the solving of the discrepancy between expenditures and revenue. The President obviously wants the tariff matter disposed of expeditiously, and his wishes very likely will penetrate the extra session of Congress, which, from all appearances, will be short."

"I have read that Payne thinks the tariff will not be effective for about a year. The important thing for the business world is to know what has been adopted, so that merchants, manufacturers and importers can govern themselves accordingly. That known, there ought to be less trouble in the National Treasury, for business is bound to increase immediately."

"I was much interested in Mr. Cortelyou's distinction between permanent and temporary expenditure. I suppose the Panama Canal could be put down as a temporary expenditure, also harbor improvements and the improvement of waterway."

ROAST IN AGONY

Girl in Flames Runs to Mother—Both Fatally Burned.

ALLENTOWN, PA., March 6.—A doubly fatal fire took place this morning at West Catawagus, and a mother and daughter have since died in the Allegheny Hospital. Having been roasted, while a baby narrowly escaped suffocation.

The dead are Mrs. Emma Lauer, aged fifty-two, and Mary Lauer, her daughter, aged ten. Ralph Snyder, a grandson, one year old, was almost suffocated when found.

The fire was discovered by a woman, who passed the Lauer home and noticed the flames and smoke. She quickly notified a party of young men, who formed a bucket brigade, and succeeded after a hard fight in extinguishing the flames sufficiently to get into the kitchen, where the fire was

STOMACH TROUBLES

Relieved by a Simple Mixture That You Can Get at Any Drug Store for Little Money.

Here is a prescription that any druggist will put up for you at little cost, or you can buy the ingredients separately and mix them at home; this simple prescription is highly recommended for all cases of stomach troubles; the digestive ferments and vegetable tonics tone up the stomach and increase the secretion of the gastric juices, making the stomach perform its work.

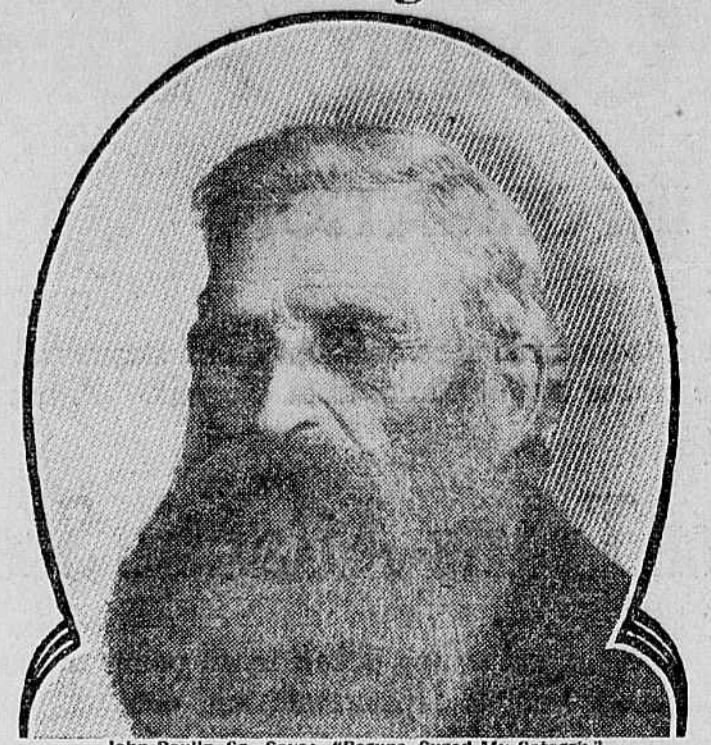
Here is the prescription: If you suffer from stomach troubles have it filled and give it a trial:

Compound Tincture of Chichona, one ounce; Peppermint Compound, one ounce; and Sherry Wine, half a pint. Mix and take one teaspoonful in a wine glass full of water before meals and at bed time.

Stomach specialists claim that this simple prescription will relieve the most serious cases of Dyspepsia, and will cure any case that is curable.

A WISCONSIN PIONEER

Says Pe-ru-na is "Worth its Weight in Gold."



John Paulin, Sr., Says: "Peruna Cured My Catarrh."

Mr. John Paulin, Sr., a pioneer of Port Washington, Wis., 119 Franklin St., is held in high esteem by the residents of that place. He is one of the oldest citizens. In a recent letter he says:

"I have used Peruna with good results for coughs and colds which troubled me every fall and winter. It has also cured my catarrh, which always became worse when affected with but a slight cold. I am recommending Peruna because it is worth its weight in gold."—Mr. John Paulin, Port Washington, Wis.

Per-na is a Catarrhal Tonic Especially Adapted to the Declining Powers of Old Age.

Old and hearty old age means simply healthy organs and healthy functions retained beyond the usual time. As a rule, at the age of sixty or seventy years, the functions begin to wane and the various organs to lose their natural power.

This need not occur. At least not in all cases. Many a man and woman have retained their health and vigor much later in life.

We have on file several letters from octogenarians who have found Per-na

of priceless value to them as their declining years advanced.

Has Reached Four Score Years and Weighs 156 Pounds

Mr. Levi Kegg, Rainburg, Pa., writes:

"Your medicine has done me so much good I intend to keep it on hand all the time."

"I had all the symptoms of systemic catarrh. My eyes were red and itched, my throat, stomach and bowels troubled me, was nervous, had nervous headaches. I am now entirely cured by Per-na."

"I am eighty years old, and I never weighed more than 149, but now I weigh 156 pounds."

themselves with a close watch on the leaves by steamboat service, riding there only where weakness has been reported or is suspected.

NOTED "CROOK" IS "PINCHED"

Baltimore Police Take George ("Butch") Bradley Into Custody.

BALTIMORE, MD., March 6.—George Wheeler, alias George ("Butch") Bradley, whom the police who arrested him last Wednesday allege to be one of the most notorious criminals of America, to-day confessed his identity to Police Lieutenant Casey, of the Bertillon Bureau. He was taken into custody on the street last Wednesday with two other men on the charge of pocket-picking, but his real identity was not known until to-day.

His record shows he has served terms in various prisons, including the Western Penitentiary at Pittsburgh, and that he shot and killed John Rodgers, alias John McHenry, in a quarrel over the division of spoils at Memphis, Tenn., in 1903. For this crime he was sentenced to life imprisonment, but friends obtained a pardon for him. He is fifty-eight years old.

MARRIED HER CHAUFFEUR

Attachment Begun When He Was Injured in an Accident.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., March 6.—Mrs. A. Van Voorhies, aged fifty-five, one of the best known and wealthiest women in the city, and Arnold Patterson, her chauffeur, thirty years of age, were married to-day at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Van Voorhies, 1514 Broadway, to a wedding which was a surprise to many. Patterson has been her chauffeur for about a year.

The romance began last summer when Patterson was severely injured in an accident.

Mrs. Van Voorhies was very attentive to the injured man, and began which resulted in the marriage.

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THIS EXPERIMENT FREE.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are made to give to the system, through the digestive tract and the stomach, the necessary means not only to digest food, but to enrich the blood of the body so that it may no longer suffer from dyspepsia or other stomach trouble.

We will send you a quantity of these tablets free, so that their power to cure may be proved to you. Thousands upon thousands of people are using these tablets for the aid and cure of every known stomach disease. Know what you put into your stomach, and use discretion in doing so.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain fruit and vegetable essences, the pure concentrated tincture of Hydrastis, Golden Seal, which is a natural food and strengthen the mucous lining of the stomach, and increase the flow of gastric and other digestive juices. Lactogen, extracted from milk. Sulphur, strengthen the nerves controlling the action of the stomach and to cure nervous dyspepsia. Pure Ascorbic Acid, the highest digestive power and approved by the United States Pharmacopoeia.

One of the ablest professors of the University of Michigan recently stated that this Penicillin was the only agent known to him that was absolutely pure—free from all animal impurities; Bismuth, to absorb gases and prevent fermentation. They are deliciously flavored with concentrated Jamaica Ginger—in itself a well known stomach tonic.

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RIDES FULL COURSE

Major Walker Will Make Thorough Survey of Texas in Five Days.

MEMPHIS, TENN., March 6.—Major Walker, of the Texas Cavalry, is to make a five-day survey of the Texas State System, Major Walker, States Engineer, Corps, is making a horseback ride along the entire line through Mississippi and Arkansas from Cairo, Ill., to the mouth of the White River, a ten-mile ride of 500.

Heretofore the engineers in charge of the Memphis district have contented

COMMITTEE MUST FACE A DEFICIT

Inauguration Receipts Will Be Far Short of All Expectations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 6.—The inaugural ceremonies went off as well as could be expected in the face of the blizzard.

Edward J. Stellwagen, chairman of the inauguration committee, expresses this opinion.

Notwithstanding adverse weather conditions, says Mr. Stellwagen, events worked out according to the plans of the committee. Outdoor events would, of course, be hampered, but would be under fair skies and with more rainy conditions.

Many representative business men of Washington called upon Chairman Stellwagen to-day and congratulated him.

President Taft has expressed himself as gratified with all the ceremonies, beginning with the veterans' parade in the forenoon, up to the grand ball on March 4 and the concerts that followed.

Corcoran Thom, who labored diligently for the success of the inaugural ceremonies, also came in for a large share of commendation for his activities and direction.

Mr. Thom said to-day that the distribution of souvenir medals to members of the several committees will not be made until on and after Tuesday next. The inaugural committee headquarters will be kept open until about March 15.

General Committee Meeting.

After the final reports of the chairmen of subcommittees are all in a meeting of the general committee will be called by Chairman Stellwagen. This meeting may be held about ten days hence.

To-morrow the ballroom decorations will be cleared away. Pension office employees may resume their duties Monday.

As to the inauguration finances, Milton E. Allen, chairman of the finance committee, said to-day he was apprehensive there will be a deficit of probably from \$5,000 to \$7,000 below the guarantee fund. The receipts from the ball will approximate \$45,000, and from the three concerts given yesterday about \$10,000.

Mr. Allen expressed the hope that the two concerts to-day will net about \$10,000. He had received no statement as to the amount realized from the sale of seats on the Lafayette Park reviewing stand, the sale of stand privileges and the official program.

In the last analysis, said Mr. Allen, there may be no deficit. Even should there be a small shortage, the receipts from a money standpoint, will be considered good, considering the bad weather and the large number of people who set out to visit Washington, but did not get here.

The work of the auditing committee, Andrew Parker, chairman, began to-day, and will continue until the many bills have been examined and their correctness certified to the general committee.

Mr. I. Weller, chairman of the public comfort committee, said to-day the committee had quarters left unoccupied that would have accommodated between 14,000 and 15,000 of organized parties and about 20,000 private parties. These are on the list of inspected premises. In the unexpected promiscuous entry during the ten days preceding March 4, several additional thousands could have been housed and fed.

Criticism for Railroads.

In his report to the general committee Mr. Weller will severely arraign the railroad companies for encouraging the parking of their cars and their occupancy for housing purposes, when so many rooms and halls were available for quarters for the visitors.

It will speak of the discomfort of those who remained in the cars, and in many instances suffered for food and because of a lack of warmth. It is approximated that between 175,000 and 200,000 visitors came to the city March 3 and 4.

While the principal part of the work of removing the decorations on public and private buildings and taking down the reviewing stands and the court of honor will begin Monday, it is believed some of the business men will take down their flags and bunting to-morrow.

The work of cleaning up the city began to-day. It will require several days of active effort on the part of the gangs of cleaners to remove the aftermath of the big demonstration in the slush.

Pennsylvania Avenue is littered from one end to the other with all manner of debris—glass stumps, pieces of bunting, "Taft ticklers," empty booze bottles and what not. The surfaces of the parks on the Avenue suffered severely from the trampling they received from the crowds that watched the parade, and some damage was done to the shrubbery.

Major Thomas B. Morgan, chairman of the committee on civic organizations, left this city Thursday night, and will be absent several days. Before his departure he expressed himself well pleased with the appearance of the organizations in the civic division of the parade.

He said the plans of Chairman Stellwagen as to the elimination of all freak features had been carried into effect.

The parade presented a most orderly and dignified appearance, which was particularly gratifying.

Cuno H. Rudolph, chairman of the committee on fireworks, also came in for a large share of the praise, as his feature was most attractive, notwithstanding the meteorological conditions, which prevented the full program of fireworks from being given.

NO BOND ISSUE

Veteran Officials Do Not Think Quo Imminent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 6.—What view the incoming Secretary of the Treasury may hold to the necessity for another bond issue is not known, but old officials, whose judgment is relied upon, do not regard a bond issue as at all imminent.

At this time the Treasury has a working balance of \$66,000,000, and with customs receipts showing a considerable increase over a year ago it is not anticipated that Secretary MacVeagh will favor an issue of bonds before midsummer. Under act passed during the Spanish War the Secretary is given authority to issue Treasury one-year certificates up to \$100,000,000. The department can avail itself of this authority at any time. The Panama Canal bonds bearing 2 per cent. as against 3 per cent. carried by the Treasury certificates. The original act providing for the construction of the canal authorized the issue of \$100,000,000 in construction bonds, and this authority already has been availed of to the extent of about \$70,000,000.



Cotton is King

But on a British Throne. The United States is not even, the heir apparent



We raise the cotton, England spins it, and we thereby lose our birthright. Daniel J. Sully, who exploited the famous Cotton Corner two years ago, tells how we buy two dollars' worth of cotton goods from Europe for every dollar's worth we export, in the

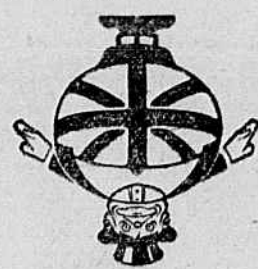
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which would leave the Secretary with authority to issue at any time in his discretion bonds of this class aggregating \$54,000,000 or any part of it.

So far as known here Mr. MacVeagh has not expressed himself as to which of these issues would best serve the public needs. But the old Treasury officials, who are confidently counting on a prompt restoration of good business conditions after the first of the next fiscal year, are disposed to believe that the Treasury certificates would serve a better purpose than the issue of canal bonds.

ESTABLISHES WIRELESS

Philadelphia Prepares for Future Emergencies Against Storm.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 6.—One result of the blizzard of Wednesday was the establishment by the city of a wireless plant on top of the City Hall tower, which will put Philadelphia in communication with any sea station operating a wireless plant within a radius of a thousand miles.

RYAN WILL APPEAR

Meets Federal Officers, and Promises to Show Up in Court.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 6.—George Ryan, held under a \$10,000 bond for alleged misuse of the mails in connection with the swindling operations of the gang recently uncovered at Little Rock, to-night, with his attorney, met Post-Office Inspector Swanson and Special Officer Donowag, and an agreement was reached where

by Ryan was to be in Federal court Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Attorney Huff, for Ryan, announced that also at that time he would have a habeas corpus for Ryan, and demand being taken to Council Bluffs. Ryan is wanted here to answer a minor charge of assault, with intent to kill, as his counsel will demand that he first be tried here for that offense before being taken to any other point to answer charges.

START WORK

Westinghouse Company Begins Installing \$5,000,000 System.

PITTSBURGH, PA., March 6.—The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company here has started work on a \$5,000,000 contract given by the Pennsylvania Railroad for the electrification of its New York terminals, including the tunnels and terminals at Jersey City and Long Island, according to an announcement made to-night by Westinghouse officials.

CELTS PROTEST

Object to Postal Cards Reflecting on the Irish Race.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The Irish societies of New York and its vicinity, more than 200 in number, are out with protests against the sale of postal cards reflecting on the Celtic race. The Ancient Order of Hibernians, which is directing a parade on March 17 in honor of the Irish, has made the postal card issue its special objective consideration this year. Its county president, Thomas Kelly, has written to President Taft, calling his attention

to the scurrilous and abusive nature of the cards. The Hibernians ask that the postmasters throughout the country be instructed to throw out of the mails such cards or circulars as libel a creed, nationality or individual. This was done last year. A section of the post-office regulations makes this action obligatory.

FREEDOM OF PRESS

Justice Gaylor Selects This Topic at Laying of Corner-Stone.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Justice William C. Gaylor, of the New York Supreme Court, was the principal speaker at the laying of the corner-stone of the New York Press Club's new building here to-day. He spoke in behalf of the freedom of the press, urging the right of the newspaper to criticize fully and freely those in public office.

He said in part:

"To exercise this privilege of criticism is not only the right of newspapers, but its chief duty and office as well. This is the country's highest safeguard against corruption and wrongdoing."

"By criticism, of course, I do not mean abuse. To be abusive, rough or unfair, is justly regarded by all good newspaper men as unethical and improper."

"One of the modern newspaper's greatest services should be the showing-up of the demagogue and loath producer, whose promiscuous denunciation of all successful business interests has done much to handicap the country."

"Journalism has come to be one of the five 'learned' professions, ranking in dignity and power for good with the law, medicine, the ministry and teaching."

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